In re Pater Application of

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

) Examiner: S. Crane

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For:

METHOD OF MANUFACATURING)

A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

) Group Art Unit: 2811

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the election requirement in the Office Action of June 18 2002. Applicants hereby elect with traverse species , a semiconductor film containing hydrogen or halogen. Claims 2-14 and 21 are readable thereon. Applicants note that independent claim 29 recites a semiconductor film containing a hydrogen and independent claim 35 recites a semiconductor film containing a halogen. Thus, it is believed that claims 29-43 should also be examined with species I.

Examination on the merits-is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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